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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NON-PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Enclosed for filing in connection with the above-identified patent application is an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form. In addition, applicant is sending replacement drawing sheets 1-8 with the appropriate margins.

Also enclosed is a duplicate copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application, together with our check in the amount of \$435.00 for payment of the filing fee and the surcharge for filing these documents subsequent to the filing date of the application.

In addition, on the return receipt postcard (copy enclosed) which applicant received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (USPTO) after filing the above-identified continuation application and corresponding Request for Extension of Time for Responding to the Office Action Dated June 18, 2001 in connection with corresponding U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/183,497, the USPTO indicated that our check in the amount of

\$460.00 was not received. However, we have checked our records and include with this Response a copy of our canceled check no. 43660 issued on December 18, 2001 to the USPTO in the amount of \$460.00 for payment of the three-month extension fee. Therefore, applicant respectfully requests that the USPTO correct their records to indicate receipt of payment in the amount of \$460.00 for the three-month extension of time.

If there are any questions on the above, please inform the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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